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PRICE ADVANCED

EIGHT BAER ADDS FIFTY CENTS A TON TO HARD COAL.

PUTS CHECK ON RETAILERS

Public Is Not To Be Held Up For Exorbitant Prices.

Oct. 23.—President Baer, president of the Chicago Coal Merchants' Association, today issued a statement to the effect that the coal companies would advance the price of hard coal to fifty cents a ton. He said that the companies were doing this because of the increase in the cost of the coal. He said that the companies were not doing this because of the increase in the cost of the coal. He said that the companies were not doing this because of the increase in the cost of the coal.

UNIONISTS QUIT.

Stockade Living Quarters They Jump Their Jobs.

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ENGINEERS IN TROUBLE.

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MORE TROUBLE THREATENED.

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COMMISSIONERS

Ready to Begin Their Deliberation of Strike Today.

Washington, Oct. 23.—All members of the arbitration commission are now in the city preparatory to the final meeting tomorrow morning. Judge Gray of Delaware, in an interview tonight, expressed the hope the commission would complete its duties before Christmas.

THEY WILL PAY THE TAXES

Masonic Temple Association Decides to Settle With the County of Cook.

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THE KANSAS CITY SHOW.

Premiums Awarded High Class Cattle—Goats At High Prices.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 23.—Another great crowd of 25,000 to 30,000 people attended the American Royal Live Stock show today. The show was a great success and the premiums were awarded to the high class cattle and goats.

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TWONNEW RECORDS

MADE AT THE MEMPHIS MEET BUT CRESCUS FAILED IN HIS ATTEMPT.

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ONWARD SILVER BEATS MARK

Made By Him in the Last Week—A Day of Good Racing.

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THE DEFENSE SCORES.

Justice Lambert Ruled Out the Barnett Letters in the Molinoux Trial.

New York, Oct. 23.—A strong point was scored by the defense in the Molinoux trial today when Justice Lambert ruled out the Barnett letters. The defense said that the Barnett letters were not relevant to the case.

AMERICAN BASEBALL LEAGUE.

Reports Read and New Board of Directors Elected.

New York, Oct. 23.—At the meeting of the National Association of Baseball Leagues today reports of officers were read and routine business transacted. A new national board was elected as follows:

MISS ROOSEVELT NOT ENGAGED.

Story That She Will Wed John Greenway Denied at Washington.

Washington, Oct. 23.—It is authoritatively stated that there is absolutely no foundation for the report from Little Rock, Ark., regarding the engagement of Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the president, to John Greenway of Hot Springs.

FATHER HAS NOT HEARD IT.

Hot Springs, Ark., Oct. 23.—The reported engagement of John Greenway of this city to Miss Alice Roosevelt is not confirmed here. When interviewed regarding the matter this morning, Dr. G. C. Greenway, father of John Greenway, said: "I saw the dispatch as published this morning. I can only say that I know nothing of it at all."

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 23.—The Young Men's Institute elected these officers: Supreme chaplain, Most Rev. William Henry Elder of Cincinnati; president, F. J. Kierke of San Francisco; vice-presidents, James J. Collins of Carbonate, Pa.; James J. Kasper of Madison, Ind.; secretary, James M. O'Brien of Reno, Va.; treasurer, D. J. Cullinan of Pittsburg, Pa.

TRACING BANK ROBBERS.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 23.—Crackmen who blew open the safe of the bank of Summit, S. D., Sunday night, were traced to the western part of Minnesota and detectives are in pursuit. It developed today that the robbers' booty included \$6,749 in cash, \$38,000 in notes, and \$2,000 in other securities.

FRESH WATER SAILORS.

Quincy, Oct. 23.—In the election held here to fill the vacancies in the second ship's crew of the Illinois naval militia, represented by Alton, Rock Island, Moline and Quincy, Alexander M. Simmons of Quincy was made lieutenant commander and Hugh E. King of Quincy, navigator.

BOXING BOUTS AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 23.—In the second round "Brooklyn" Tommy Sullivan knocked out Joe Sherlock of Chicago. The decision was given to Sherlock because of a foul.

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AN ATHLETIC PEACEMAKER

Justice Harlan at the Age of 69 Years Proves a Man of Muscle.

Washington, Oct. 23.—Justice Harlan of the United States Supreme court, and a member of the faculty of Columbia university law school last night intervened and prevented a fight between two freshmen and the sophomores. Justice Harlan is a giant in stature, and although 69 years of age, is still vigorous and active. The youngsters were not much for him when he entered the arena. The anticipated contest was the result of the announcement of the freshmen class that it would hold its first meeting last night. This acted as a suggestive challenge to the sophomores to break up the meeting. After the regular lecture of the evening, the first year men undertook to open their meeting, when the sophomores made a charge against the door of the hall. At this point Justice Harlan appeared and ordered that the combat cease. The sophomores paused a moment, but were evidently not disposed to obey the order, for they immediately renewed the assault. It was then the eminent jurist took a hand in the fray. He rushed over the heads of the assaulting party, and seizing the leader by the collar, dragged him from the pile. The jurist then directed the second year men to disperse with the desired effect.

HE DEFIES THEM TO MEET HIM

In His Circus Tent Or Elsewhere and Answer the Charges He Has Made.

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IRISH NATIONALISTS

Make Life Miserable For Wyndham in the Commons.

London, Oct. 23.—Another scene caused by the Irish Nationalists marked the present session. The nationalists bombarded the chief secretary for Ireland, Wyndham, with all kinds of questions and when the speaker barred the attack in this direction, the nationalists moved adjournment in order to discuss some triviality which happened last session. When the speaker ruled the motion out of order, great disorder followed. Nationalist after nationalist sprang to his feet and violently challenged the speaker's ruling. William Redmond was specially prominent, insisting in arguing with the speaker to which he was egged on by frantic cheers and shouts from the nationalist benches. Finally Devlin obtained leave to move adjournment to discuss certain rioting in Belfast Oct. 19.

FIFTY-CENT CASE.

Government Must Refund Over \$5,000,000 to Saloon-Keepers.

Washington, Oct. 23.—The United States supreme court has just heard before it the smallest case that probably has ever been before that tribunal. Though the amount involved was only fifty cents, the decision will require the United States government to lose from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

CHEERS FOR ROOSEVELT

When His Name Was Mentioned in Chamber of Deputies.

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MURDER ON TRAIN.

Body of August Richards Found Near Track at Mishawaka, Ind.

Mishawaka, Ind., Oct. 23.—August Richards of Calumet, Mich., who is believed to have been robbed on a passenger train and thrown to his death beneath the car wheels. The body, partly identified by papers in his clothing, was found in a ditch beside the Grand Trunk two miles east of this city. The body had been robbed.

TAKEN TO NEW YORK.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 23.—Taking of testimony in the case against the Northern Securities company before Special Examiner Ingersoll was concluded this afternoon, and an adjournment taken to New York, November 10, when examination of witnesses will be resumed. Nearly all of today was devoted to matters of rates and joint rates, various schedules of the tariffs being introduced into the record.

HOTEL BURNED.

Cincinnati, Ind., Oct. 23.—The Commercial hotel burned here today while crowded with guests. All escaped by jumping, except the landlord, who was painfully burned. The loss is not known.

O'BRIEN BEATS JEFFORDS.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 23.—"Philadelphia" Jack O'Brien beat Jim Jeffords of California in a six-round contest here tonight.

JOHNSTON DIGS IN

IN A SPEECH AT CINCINNATI HE BRANDS McLEAN AND BERNARD AS TRAITORS.

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HOW CUSTER MET DEATH.

Appearing Elk After His Conversion Tells the Story.

Philadelphia, Oct. 23.—A former Sioux chief, now an Episcopal rector, the Rev. Philip Dolorin of Flora, S. D., who is attempting the canonization of the Protestant Episcopal church here, said today:

"It was only a year ago that I learned the true story of the death of Gen. Custer. I had been the means of converting an old warrior named Appearing Elk."

"Appearing Elk became a fervent Christian and one day, after he had been baptized and taken into the church, I asked him to tell me of his experiences in the battle of the Little Big Horn."

"Every Sioux wants to know who killed Custer, and that was my first question. I was surprised when the old man replied, 'I did.'"

"I felt pretty sure that Appearing Elk told the truth. I drew his story from him in detail, and this is what he said:

"We had surrounded the last cluster of soldiers when my pony was shot from under me. When I got on my feet I discovered that I had been wounded. Suddenly a man in blue leaped up in front of me. I knew he was the big chief."

"He was swaying like a drunken man from exhaustion and loss of blood because of many bullet and arrow wounds."

"I told him with my tomahawk and then sat on his body to be sure that I should not be robbed of my spoils."

"In order to make doubly sure, I took the revolver from the holster of the dead man and stuck it in my belt."

"I didn't scold the man because his head was shaved and I was ashamed to take a mere piece of skin."

"I knew positively," continued Mr. Dolorin, "that the revolver taken by Appearing Elk was subsequently identified as Custer's, and so far as I have been able to learn, Custer was the only man in the command who had his head shaved."

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In the chamber of deputies during the discussion of the coal strike the socialist urged the government to intervene. President Roosevelt's intervention in the Pennsylvania strike was referred to and cited as an example to be followed in the present case.

BUTTER MAKERS

Suggest Voluntary Tax For Creation of Legislative Fund.

ILLINOIS SYNOD MEETS

Gain of Nine Ministers Last Year, But a Loss of Eight Churches.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—The annual business meeting of the Presbyterian synod of Illinois in progress here several days closed tonight. Reports were submitted showing 500 ministers in the synod, a gain of 9 over last year, 472 churches, a loss of 8, 12,314 members, a gain of 2,857, Sunday school enrollment, 77,248, a gain of 1,455; expenditures, \$1,254,072. The report of the commission on temperance strongly urged opposition to the repeal of the army anti-liquor law until its merits have been fully tested.

AT INDIANAPOLIS

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The Formal Opening Will Not Take Place Until Early in the Spring.

WILL BE COMPLETED FEB. 15.

The Lot Occupied by the Building is to Be Measured Today.

It will be early in the spring before the new public library building is dedicated although there is a possibility that the books may be moved to some time in December.

Contractor John J. Peoria, was here Tuesday looking over the work and expressed himself as pleased with the progress. He assured members of the board that he would have the building ready to turn over according to his contract on the 15th of February. The work will not be interrupted by cold weather after the building is under roof. The books for the heating plant is on the way and the strong heaters will get in operation at an early day so that the interior work can proceed. The architect, Quillen stated that the foundation was completed by the close of this year there was no reason why the library could not move in then for the upper half of the building will not be needed until it will be necessary to have the lower part of the work completed. It is likely that this plan will be followed. Mr. Quillen has the new building has the closest personal attention from the time the work was started and he undoubtedly will see that it is going to be the best and handsomest structure in the city. It is likewise said that in architecture, appointments and solidly it is going to be one of the highest priced libraries in the country. During the past few months he has carefully examined many of those buildings and believes the local building will compare favorably with many that have cost twice as much money.

A dispute has arisen about the library lot. Today, Surveyor Loring will remember the same so that the question can be settled for all time to come. It is claimed by the owners of the property on the south that the library association is encroaching on their ground by four feet. The library bought 129 feet of ground from the corner of Blumensack street and it was their understanding that fifty feet at the south end was to be reserved from the sale. It is now claimed that fifty-four feet was reserved. It is thought that the surveyor today will settle the question and that is what the library association wants. They are not wanting any trouble about the matter in the future.

CAN SEE BRAIN PULSATE

Engineer Will Clark's Case is Puzzling the Attending Physicians.

HAS CHANCE OF RECOVERY.

The case of Engineer Will Clark, who was injured in an accident on the railroad near Canton, O., a few weeks ago, is still living and the physicians attending him think that perhaps he may recover. The chances are in his favor now, although it is claimed that his case is a rare one. The Canton, Ohio, paper of Monday contained the following about him:

"To the surprise of the physicians attending the case, William E. Clark, of the West Reynolds street, still lives at Canton hospital. He has received the attention of Drs. A. C. and E. D. Bryant, surgeons of the road. A circular piece of the skull an inch and a half in diameter over the right eye was crushed in so that the brain could be easily seen pulsating. This condition continues to the surprise of Canton physicians, and it is considered by them to have been one of the most peculiar on record here. Engineer Clark is conscious all the time, as he has been since the operation. His temperature is not high and his condition indicates good chances for recovery. In the left and right half space crushed in was found about twenty small pieces of bone which were removed. Some of them had been forced through the membrane of the brain, causing a leak of some of the brain substance and the rupture of the membrane. This condition continues. The membrane is still broken, although it gives signs of healing up in addition to the fracture in the front of the skull, there is also a fracture at the base of the brain." Dr. A. C. Bryant said it is very rare that a patient lives at all under such circumstances.

Deeds Recorded.
James J. Finn to the Savings Fund Building Association, lot 17, block 2, in Montgomery & Shull's first addition to Decatur; \$740.

Henry C. Bower to Thomas Pensing, lot 3 in Bower's addition to the village of Oregon; \$75.

Sarah E. Williams to James N. Chiles, lots 7 and 19 in Peter H. Buckeye's third addition to Decatur; \$1,500.

A. J. Cook to Fred H. Higgins, the east half of lot 1 in block 7, Railroad addition to Macon; \$400.

John Aldridge to Thomas E. Drew, 27 feet and 3 inches of lot 6 in S. J. Bumsack's addition to Decatur; \$750.

Paradoxical though it may seem, the right end of a check to endorse is the left end.

EASY FOR ALLEN

Young Man Who Robbed Bell Gets Off With Sixty Days In Jail.

AND A FINE OF THIRTY DOLLARS.

Day's News Gathered in and Around the Court House.

Charles Allen, the young man who was arrested on a charge of robbing the Bell drug store, gets off with a punishment of sixty-five days in jail and a fine of \$30. Tuesday he announced his willingness to plead guilty to the charges against him, and seemed anxious to get out of the trouble the easiest and quickest way possible. State's Attorney Redmon filed an information against him in the county court charging him with petit larceny. There were six counts and on each one of these the accused young man pleaded guilty. He was fined \$3.00 on each count and on the first one was given sixty days in jail and on the following five one day each in jail. The young man will be able to schedule after serving the jail sentence. He went back to jail to begin his incarceration. Tuesday he showed no ill effects of the sickness of Monday which for a time had led to the belief that he had attempted suicide.

Cost Him Twenty.
John White, who was arrested a few days ago for taking a horse and buggy which did not belong to him, was in the county court and pleaded guilty to the charge of maliciously driving away a horse. John was simply having fun with himself, but the owner of the horse did not see any joke and made complaint. White pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined twenty dollars and costs.

Wants a Divorce.
Mrs. Eliza Church began a suit for divorce Tuesday from her husband, Thomas B. Church. She alleges extreme and repeated cruelty, and cites two instances in which her husband slapped her face and pulled her hair. The couple were married in 1900 and have one child. The mother asks the custody of the little son.

Assumpsit Suit.
James E. Blagier instituted a suit in assumpsit against M. A. Adams, seeking to recover \$500.

Marriage Licenses.
Theodore Rademacher, Decatur, 25
Hedwig Wagner, Decatur, 23
Louis Farmer, Decatur, 40
Mrs. Mary Walsh, Decatur, 36

One week in the country makes one strong in the city.

STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Makes an Appeal For the Local And Domestic History of the Different Localities.

PEOPLE MUST HELP IN WORK.

The Illinois State Historical Society has issued a circular as follows:

The Illinois State Historical Society was organized by the General Assembly of the State in 1889 for the purpose of collecting, preserving and publishing the history of the state and its people. It is an easy matter for the board of Trustees of the library to purchase the current books relating to the history of Illinois and of the other States and countries, the histories of which are so entwined with the history of Illinois that they cannot be separated without taking away the thrilling story of the colonization and growth of the Mississippi valley; but the books published a generation or more ago, the local histories, accounts of the dedications of early churches, school houses, old settlers' reunions, and things of like nature—these are not easily found. It is this local and domestic history of our people that the board of Trustees of the Historical Library is earnestly seeking, and it now makes an appeal to the people of the State for assistance in the collection of such precious and obscure material. There is hardly a family which would be unable to furnish valuable data. It is by no means necessary that the matter be in print to be valuable to the Historical Library. Old letters relating to persons, places and events in the history of the State or any part of it, record books, reminiscences of old settlers, pictures of buildings, persons or places prominent in the State at large, or locally, indentures of slaves, of the Historical Library is earnestly with our early governors and senators, or letters descriptive of early times, all of these are of great value. Early newspapers furnish much historical material of great worth; in fact everything that is of interest to any county or neighborhood of Illinois is of interest to the Board of Trustees of this Library, as forming links in the great chain of the whole history of the State. If you have an old person in your family or neighborhood who has borne some part in the building up of his town or county, encourage him to write down his recollections. If he is unable to write with comfort, persuade him to dictate the story to some younger person. These plain and homely narratives may in time come furnish the best and most characteristic history of the times and of the people who are rapidly passing away. There are but few remaining who can tell of the trip by ox-cart, or river, and canal from Kentucky or the east. Very few are the "pioneer mothers" who can tell of the spinning wheel and loom, and of the "crotch oven," and these veterans who can tell us of the Black Hawk war, must say "my father" or "my grandmother," for the flight of seventy years has carried away the contemporaries of Lincoln in the military glories of the Black Hawk war and most of the friends and opponents of his later and more notable struggles. The Board wants histories of the Illinois regiments in the War of the Rebellion, diaries, letters and all such matter to aid in writing the glorious story of what Illinois did in the great Civil War of 1861-65. These soldiers, too, are growing old and fewer in number. The Board appeals to them to help in recording the annals of themselves and their departed comrades. It wishes to hunt up and print the history of our plain people. The country and the State will write the history of its great heroes, but the history of the patient, heroic men and women who founded the great industries of the Mississippi Valley must remain unwritten unless the people of today write in enduring letters their simple stories.

The Board of Trustees of the Illinois State Historical Society earnestly requests the assistance and co-operation of the citizens of the State in collecting such matter as is indicated in the above letter, and asks that collections be deposited in the Illinois State Historical Library in the Capitol at Springfield.

LIKE MISSOURI LANDS.
Macon County and Decatur People Making Large Investments.

In an interview recently published in the St. Louis Republic, secretary of agriculture, James Wilson made the following statement: "My observation in my travels throughout the country has been that there is a great land hunger everywhere and by far the best bargains are to be found in Missouri. As compared with lands elsewhere those of Missouri are cheapest to be had. It does not know why this should be, but it is a fact."

A number of Macon county investors had evidently made this discovery before the secretary's statement was published as the following list of purchasers with their holdings in Stoddard county, Missouri would indicate:

Dr. R. L. Walston, 340 acres
Morrer J. A. Montgomery, 450 acres
Mrs. Mary Millikin, 320 acres
E. F. Cloud, 640 acres
P. P. Laughlin, 1180 acres
Luther Martin, 640 acres
W. G. Bachman, 400 acres
Lillian B. Irwin, 160 acres
Clarence Nartel, 640 acres
Asa Merris, 320 acres
Frank Suffer, 360 acres
Arthur Graham of Illinois, 400 acres
Attorney J. A. Montgomery, who with Dr. R. L. Walston, was one of the pioneer investors from Decatur, in speaking of Southeastern Missouri says: "The country reminds me of northwestern Ohio. At one time northwestern Ohio was a vast marshy swamp covered with timber and con-

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considered almost uninhabitable. Today cleared of its forests and the land made tillable by drainage ditches, it is the garden spot of the Buckeye State."

MAROA'S NEW RURAL ROUTE.
It has Been Inspected And Carriers Examined.

Route Inspector Cleaf was at Maroa Wednesday to inspect the proposed route number four, and held the examination of applicants for carrier, says the Maroa News-Times.

The territory covered by this proposed route lies principally to the northwest of Maroa, and the following will give an idea of the roads traveled to these familiar with that part of the country.

This route leaves Maroa on the Bloomington road and goes one mile north to the county line, thence west two miles to the brick house at the Warner Allsup corner, thence south two miles to the Rule Long corner, thence west one mile to the R. B. Wilkoff corner, thence north two miles to the David Schenck corner on the county line, thence west one and a half miles on the county line to the J. S. Miller corner, thence east one and a half miles through Rowell to the Rye James corner, thence south one and a half miles back to the county line at the David Schenck corner, thence east one mile on the county line back to the Allsup corner, thence north two and a half miles into DeWitt county again to the Newman corner, thence in a northeasterly direction one and a fourth miles to the Texas school house thence south one and a fourth miles to the El James corner; thence east one half mile to the Bloomington road, thence south one and a half miles to the county line at the Peter Ford corner, thence east one half miles on county line, thence south one mile to Maroa. The distance is 23 1-2 miles, and there are 105 houses on the route.

Rural carriers are now under the civil service rules, and Mr. Cleaf held an examination after going over the route, of the several applicants for the position of carrier.

The applicants for the position are H. A. Walker, W. G. Irwin, H. E. Hukill and W. H. Stonebraker. The inspector simply holds the examination and then forwards the papers to the postoffice department, where they are examined and passed upon.

Mr. Cleaf approved this proposed route, and considers it a good one. The patrons therefore need have no anxiety about getting the free delivery service and perhaps without much delay. But the inspector suggested that the whole territory be readjusted and a fifth route added, so that every farmer in the territory would have this service. The suggestion is a good one, and if all five of the routes are laid out at once, and all of them can be better arranged, and it will be better for all concerned. The inspector said he would give the matter his prompt attention as soon as the necessary steps were taken here.

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PAYNE AND WARNER
Will Be Here on Friday Night to Speak at the Tabernacle.

CROWD COMING FROM CLINTON.

At the tabernacle on Friday evening the republicans will hold their first rally of the campaign. There will be speaking at 8 o'clock. Goodman's Fourth Regiment band has been secured for the occasion and will furnish music. A large crowd is expected from Congressman Warner's home town. The following are announced to speak:

Hon. Seno E. Payne of New York. Mr. Payne is the chairman of the ways and means committee in congress, the floor leader of the house and the choice of New York for the speakership.

Hon. V. Warner of Clinton, candidate for congress in this district.

Hon. H. J. Hamlin of Springfield, attorney general of the state.

Judge W. G. Cochran of Sullivan.

Judge F. M. Shonkwiler of Platt county.

Hon. A. J. Gallagher, candidate for the legislature.

The meeting will be called to order at the tabernacle at 8 o'clock. Goodman's full band has been engaged.

NO RAISE IN PRICE.

Decatur Coal Company Continues To Sell at the Old Rates.

The Decatur Coal Company has not raised the price of fuel, although a number of outside companies have put it up. It is not likely that the local company will make any change in the near future as they have accepted orders ahead for at least twelve days.

The greatest trouble encountered by the company just now is the scarcity of men. The company could employ twice as many as are now actually digging coal if they could get them. There are seventy-five diggers at each shaft. The demand for coal now is about equal to the cold weather run. It is expected that this demand will be maintained all winter for the reason that it is not expected that the hard coal men will be able to get much of their product into the west.

The Next Fair.

Speaking about the street fair yesterday a prominent business man and one of the promoters of the fair said: "I'll not give a cent for a fair another year until we have a distinct understanding about the use of the streets in front of our places of business. We were assured this time that the stands would be kept off the street but that did not make any difference. They came any way and took possession. In my case I threw the stand into the street but afterwards in order to avoid trouble kept the place clear by arguing to pay as much as the stand license would amount to. If we subscribe to the fair we have a right to expect the use of the street about our places. We want some kind of a fair next year, of course, but what it will be I can't say. Anything that will get us a one fare rate on the railroad is a good thing. My idea of a fair is to change the program. I would raise the usual amount of money by a clear competition of money. I'd instead of allowing fair attractions to come in I would make it impossible for the visitors to spend their money with the folks. I would devote the whole sum to advertising, music and free shows."

MOTHERS
Who would keep their children in good health, should watch for the first symptoms of worms, and remove them with White's Cream Vermifuge.

It is a fact that the children's best friend is White's Cream Vermifuge. It gets rid of the worms, cleanses the bowels, and gives the children a healthy and strong complexion. 25c and 50c at John E. King's.

Beautiful Complexions
Are spoiled by using any kind of preparation that fills the pores of the skin. The best way to secure a clear complexion, free from pimples, blotches, etc., is to keep the liver in good order. An occasional dose of Herbine will cleanse the bowels, regulate the liver and so establish a healthy complexion. 50c at John E. King's.

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of the eye, ear, throat, nose, lungs, kidneys, urinary and bladder, etc., which render life a torment, and which, if not cured, will lead to a premature grave. Herbine cures all these diseases. It is a powerful medicine, and it is the only one that cures all these diseases. 50c at John E. King's.

Young and Middle Aged
Suffering from spermatorrhea, or nocturnal emission, as the result of self abuse, or excess in mature years, or other causes producing a loss of vitality, and which leads to a premature grave. Herbine cures all these diseases. It is a powerful medicine, and it is the only one that cures all these diseases. 50c at John E. King's.

Dr. Appleman
General Practitioner, 100 22nd St., Suite 2, CHICAGO, ILL.

Everything should be absolutely free, if there are any good test attractions get them but pay them a lump sum for the week's work and let the people go in and out of them as they please.

ONLY TWO ASPIRANTS.
Next Civil Service Examination Will Be a Small One.

President Hancock of the local civil service board, closed the entries for the next examination yesterday and the class will be about the smallest since the board was organized here. Only two names have been entered for the examination and they would both like to be carriers. The examination will be held on the 19th of November.

Red Cross Work.
Invitations have been issued by Deaconess Hospital, No. 9, Knights Templar, announcing that on Thursday evening next, James E. Stumpf, J. W. Evans, Alva A. Jones, Emory O. Shively, George E. Grissom, Isaac A. Buckingham and Oscar Yarnell will receive the Red Cross. A fine banquet will be served at the commandery at 9 o'clock. It will be a red letter night in the history of Masonry, and many visitors will be in attendance from a distance.

Women are not very thick when they can see through each other.

Some men are as ready to do an injury as they are to apologize for it.

Do You Want to Yawn?
Feel cold shivering, aching in the bones, lack of energy, headache, and great depression? These symptoms may be followed by violent headache, high fever, extreme nervousness, a condition known as malaria. Herbine cures it. Take it before the disease gets a fair hold, though it will work a cure in any stage. J. A. Hooper, Manchester, Kan., writes: "I have used your great medicine, Herbine, for several years. There is nothing better for malaria, chills and fever, headache, biliousness, and for all blood-purifying work. There is nothing as good." 50c at John E. King's.

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BROTHER COMES

Dr. G. Bjornstadt Arrives From Cannon Falls, Minn., to Attend Joe Dansby's Victim.

STRONG HOPES FOR PATIENT

He Lives Through Today His Chances are Good For Recovery.

Representative of Cannon Falls, Minn., Dr. G. Bjornstadt, arrived in Decatur Monday morning to attend to the case of Joe Dansby, who was shot by a young man named William Willoughby, who is now in the city hospital, expecting to be discharged in a few days. Dr. Bjornstadt is a very experienced physician and is expected to be of great help to the patient.

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PUT PATCHES ON PRAIRIE.

Asphalt Company Repairs Places Damaged by Horses.

Yesterday the work of patching up the asphalt on Prairie street was completed. The work was done by the Asphalt Company, who were called in to repair the damage done by horses. The work was done very well and the street is now in good condition.

AMERICA'S FAMOUS BEAUTIES

Black and white portraits of the famous beauties of America. They are the most beautiful women in the world.

STRIKES OIL.

Robert J. Oglesby Successful in Prospecting Near Chanute, Kansas.

Robert J. Oglesby, who has been located in Chanute, Kansas, for some time, has been successful in opening up two wells. One of them is in the class of a gas well, but the other is in the class of a gas well. He has been successful in opening up two wells.

TO CHAMPIONSHIP CITY.

Flour Jacobs who has been employed at the Bradley Bros. dry goods store left yesterday to take a similar position in Rockford.

The \$2300 for the purchase of a site for the Iron Bridge company has been secured with the exception of about \$200 and this will be secured within a few days.

To Cure Grip in Two Days. Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause. E. W. Grove's signature on every box. Price 25 cents.

SHORTAGE SMALL

Members of Baseball Association Meet and Hear Report of Treasurer.

FOR THE LAST OF SEASON.

Krebs Returns and Brings Word From Pfeffer, Who Is Not Alarmed.

A meeting of the stockholders of the baseball association was held last evening at the office of W. L. Shellenbarger, when Mr. Shellenbarger as manager of the club made his report. The report was very satisfactory and the stockholders were very pleased with the results of the season.

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PFEFFER'S INJURY

Is Not Regarded As Serious By the Veteran—Says He Will Play Again.

Krebs, the popular catcher of the club, got home yesterday from Wisconsin, where he has been for a few weeks. He reported that he was very well and that he would play again. He said that his injury was not serious and that he would be back in the club very soon.

CAPITAL WANTS IN.

Annual meeting of the Springfield Baseball League will be postponed until the arrival of President Seger of the Three-I League. He is expected to arrive this week and then a meeting will be held in the Lehigh hotel to decide upon the transfer of the Rock Island franchise to this city.

ROCK ISLAND FRANCHISE TO THIS CITY.

It is nearly a sure go about the city having a team next season. The transfer of the franchise to this city is expected to be completed within a few days.

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BURROWS' STOCK SALE.

Good Prices Realized On All Classes Offered.

The Burrows stock sale held Monday at Highland Stock farm northeast of the city was successful in drawing a good crowd of interested buyers and the prices received were satisfactory according to the statement of J. B. Burrows himself.

Mr. Burrows was the auctioneer and with a big crowd, nearly all interested, he made things move lively. The swine and cattle were sold first and brought fair prices.

Twenty-five Duroc Jersey hogs headed the list and a bunch of pigs sold at from \$4 to \$6.

Seventy-five head of cattle, mostly Aberdeen-Angus by Mephisto 27784 followed the hogs. Some of the young stock went to feeders but thinner animals were cheaper. Prices of cows ranged from \$17 to \$25.

An ample lunch was served about noon in the front yard and afterwards the sale of the horses was taken up. These readily went cheaply, a number going to dealers. Twenty-three head were sold mostly Orrin Russell and Abalde Wallace stock.

Will Wallace paid the top price, \$1250 for a 3-year-old horse, and there were a considerable number about or over \$100.

The sale was conducted in the most straightforward manner. Mr. Burrows' reasons for giving up his stock raising on account of the demands made upon him by his feed business were explained and he was present through the day ready and willing to answer any question as to the stock sold whether the answer would tend to raise the bias or the reverse.

The total amount realized by the sale was about \$3300.

PATCHING THE SQUARE.

Green River Asphalt Company Putting in Harder Material.

The Green River Asphalt company experts to finish their work here tonight and will ship their plant to East St. Louis. Yesterday the paving gang were putting patches in the new pavement wherever it was low or had been paved up by horses. Several patches were put in the square and a border about six feet wide was put around the northwest corner next the curbing. The manager stated that the patching material was richer in base than the first lot put down and would better resist the paving.

TWO CROPS IN ONE SEASON.

A story comes from Tuscola that shows that Illinois can get two crops from one field in a season as well as Texas. J. M. Merica of that place, last spring planted a field in oats and clover.

In due time he harvested a nice crop of oats off of it and last week he sold the clover to a neighbor for \$5 an acre and the purchaser harvesting the crop.

NEW BOILERS HERE.

Three steaming water tube boilers of 250 horse power each have been received at the Mueller factory for the new power plant which will be under way in a few days. The company are now debating between the various kinds of engines.

ILLINOIS VS. CHICAGO.

The University of Illinois football team will play the Chicago university at Chicago on Saturday next. A special train will take the Illinois rooters for Champaign and Urbana. The game is one of the most important in the western schedule.

A. F. GEBHART IS MAKING EXTENSIVE PREPARATIONS TO PROPERLY STEAM HEAT HIS BIG BUSINESS BLOCK AND TENEMENT PROPERTY ON NORTH WATER STREET.

He has secured two fine Mercer boilers through the local agency of Lewis F. Ostrander, and will soon be ready for cold weather. The two boilers are now in place in the special basement and plumbers are busy making connections.

FRED LESLEY, WHO HAD THE TRAINED PIGS, EXHIBITED DURING THE CARNIVAL, HAS SIGNED WITH THE W. W. COLES CIRQUE AND WILL GO SOUTH THIS WINTER WITH HIS PIGS.

Lesley was for a long time with Lemon Brothers Pan-American shows.

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President Roosevelt having taken prompt action in calling the arbitrators together for their first meeting Friday, the miners hope they will know by Thanksgiving day what practical gain they have made. The vote to resume mining was unanimous and was reached only after a warm debate. The principal objection to accepting the arbitration proposition was that no provision was contained in the scheme to take care of those who would fail to get back their old positions or would be unable to get any work at all. Engineers and pumpmen get better pay than the other classes of mine workers and they did not wish to run the risk of losing altogether their old places and be compelled to dig coal for a living. This question came up yesterday and was argued up to the time the vote was taken. No one had a definite plan to offer to overcome the objection and the report of the committee on resolutions recommending the strike be declared off and that all issues be placed in the hands of the arbitration commission for decision, was adopted without the question being settled. A few moments before adjournment, however, a delegate moved the problem be placed in the hands of the executive boards for solution and his suggestion was adopted. The principal speech of the day was made by national Secretary Treasurer Wilson, who practically spoke for Mitchell and the national organization. In a strong argument he counseled the men to accept arbitration, the very plan the strikers themselves had offered, return to work and trust to the president's tribunal to do them justice.

The question of taking care of all men who will fail to get work immediately will be a serious one for the union. There is no doubt the executive boards will take care of the engineers, firemen and pumpmen, but there are thousands of other classes of mine workers who will have to be looked after. In some places hundreds will not be able to get work for weeks, and in other localities where the mines are in very bad condition, there will be no employment for some months. Now that the strike is over the volume of relief money will decrease and local unions will be compelled to call upon the national organizations for assistance when the money now in hand runs out. With the close of the great conflict will also end in a few days, probably this week, the assessment now being levied on all the bituminous mine workers affiliated with the union. The officials who care to talk of the situation feel confidence that the national body will come to their assistance and help all who stood out during the suspension.

Hundreds of men, needed to repair the mines and otherwise place them in condition for operation will be at work tomorrow evening, the convention having decided that it is imperative in order to get the men at work quickly and satisfy the country's demand for coal. All locals will hold meetings tomorrow at which instructions will be given the members regarding their application for work. Mitchell received many congratulatory telegrams from all over the country after the news spread that the strike was ended. On his return to headquarters he was asked for an expression of his views on the action of the convention and in reply said:

"I am well pleased with the action of the mine workers in deciding to submit the issues to the commission selected by the president of the United States.

"The strike itself has demonstrated the powers and dignity of labor. Conservative and intelligent trade unionism has received an impetus, the effect of which can not be measured. I earnestly hope and firmly believe that both labor and capital have learned lessons from the miners' strike which will enable them to adopt peaceful, humane and business methods of adjusting wage differences in the future."

After Mitchell had notified President Roosevelt of the action of the convention and had received a reply to the effect the commission would meet in Washington Friday, he sent an official announcement to the strikers that the

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At 10:30 yesterday the machine shop and boiler makers in the Springfield shops went out.

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From a rumor last night it appears the officials will meet the men today for a settlement. They are desirous of settling the strike and it seems as though they had little idea that the men contemplated going out.

The men who went on strike have had a general organization for several months and it was through this organization that the strike was called. The organization has members on all branches of the road down to Moberly and embracing St. Louis and Chicago.

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C. N. SCHNIEDER RESIGNS

Secretary of the Democratic County Central Committee Throws Up His Job.

COMMITTEE MEN WON'T TALK.

C. N. Schneider, who has recently been candidate on the democratic tickets at different elections, and is regarded as one of the effective workers of the party, has resigned his position as secretary of the county central committee. The letter of resignation was sent to Chairman Drew within the past few days and last night the advisory committee held a meeting to consider the matter. Morris Tangley was elected to take his place.

Members of the committee declined to discuss the matter after the meeting, but indicated that they were not well pleased with the action. Some of them were inclined to censure Schneider for his action, holding that he was manifesting an ungrateful spirit after having been made the party candidate on two different occasions. The members of the committee said that he gave no reason but intimated that there were reasons which they were inclined to look upon as poor ones.

Evidently they did not like the effect of his resignation following closely upon the action of Attorney O. C. Adams in refusing to be a candidate for the office of county judge. It would appear that the party is having a hard time in keeping the members in line.

Queries Answered.

(In this column the Herald will briefly answer such questions as may be properly asked. Anonymous communications will receive no attention, but the names will not be used, being exacted only as a guarantee of good faith.)

Editor Herald: Can you furnish the following information through your paper. When and at what time was the last total eclipse of the sun?

A Re-der.

The last eclipse of the sun which was total in this locality occurred August 7, 1863. The shadow entered North America at Behring's Straits, passed through Alaska, Iowa, Illinois, Kentucky, West Virginia, North Carolina, etc. While total in central and southern Illinois it was not a total eclipse north of Joliet.

The eclipse of July 29, 1874, was total in Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, southwest Kansas, Texas, and Louisiana, and partial throughout the rest of the United States. In this locality the sun's disk was about three-quarters obscured. January 11, 1880, there was a total eclipse along the Pacific coast and Rocky mountain region.

January 1, 1889, an eclipse of the sun took place which was total in California, Nevada, Idaho, Wyoming, Montana and Dakota and was a partial eclipse to the rest of the western United States. May 28, 1890, a total eclipse was visible in the Gulf states and Mexico. The next total eclipse visible to the entire United States is calculated to take place June 5, 1918.

Other total eclipses outside of America were: 1870, Spain and the Mediterranean countries; 1882, Egypt; 1882, Caroline Islands; 1898, India.

It takes "rocks" to make a man solid.

YOUR FAITH

Shiloh's Consumption Cure

and cure is so strong, we guarantee a cure or refund money, and we send you, free of cost, a bottle of Shiloh's Consumption Cure. It will cure Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and all Lung Troubles. It is a cough and cold remedy. It has been used for 50 years. S. C. Wells & Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

Karl's Clover Root Tea corrects the Stomach.

THE WILY MOSQUITO

As a Carrier of Infection Will be Discussed at the Meeting of October.

THE DECATUR MEDICAL SOCIETY.

"The Mosquito As a Carrier of Disease," the question for discussion before the Decatur Medical Society Thursday evening of this week is one which is now engrossing the attention of medical and scientific men throughout the world. Its great importance from a scientific and a sanitary point of view is recognized by all. Dr. L. O. Howard, entomologist of the department of agriculture, at Washington, D. C., writing of the mosquito as now being investigated, says: "It is but the beginning of a great and intelligent crusade. The interest in the subject from both medical and lay points of view has become so great that persons are not satisfied with half knowledge, but must know the whole mosquito story." The discussion of the subject by the members of the local medical society will no doubt be interesting and instructive.

Enthusiasm at Wapella.

David Ross' address brought back old-time enthusiasm. Monday night's meeting at the opera house reminded us of a presidential year. The hall was crisscrossed full of enthusiastic listeners and many were turned away for want of room. Gorman's band rendered a number of pieces which were greatly appreciated and called back vividly the days of a presidential campaign. Candidates Switzer, Gallagher, Atwell, Hickman, Hattie P. Willson, Hart and Noel were all there shaking hands and wearing a broad smile. J. F. Robinson, committeeman, called the meeting to order and on motion was made the chairman of the meeting, a position which he is ably fitted to fill. The first speaker introduced was Representative Gallagher, who only thanked the large and appreciative audience to have the pleasure of meeting so many of them as he had to catch the train for Decatur. Mr. Gallagher made a fine impression on the audience and will receive one and one-half votes from every republican in Wapella township.—Clinton Public.


FUNERALS.

Mrs. Jennie Palmer.

The funeral of Mrs. Jennie Palmer, who died at Terre Haute, was held yesterday from the home of her mother, Mrs. Willis Johnson, 326 North Main street. The services were large and were conducted by Rev. W. H. Penhallow. The pall bearers were William Landis, O. J. Richardson, S. P. Stett, William Poake, S. Montgomery and A. A. Hunter. The burial was at Greenwood.

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THE CANDIDATES

Presented By Six Parties To Be Voted On At the Election Tuesday, November 4th.

TWO BALLOTS THIS YEAR.

Small One Has Five Questions of Public Policy.

Secretary of State Rose has certified to County Clerk J. M. Dodd, the names of the candidates to appear on the ballot for the full election, Tuesday, November 4. There will be two ballots. One of them is the regular ticket on which the names of the candidates appear and the other is a smaller ticket containing five propositions of public policy on which the voters are expected to express their views.

The main ballot will not be so large as that of last year. It will contain six tickets. They are:

REPUBLICAN.
DEMOCRATIC.
PROHIBITION.
SOCIALIST PARTY.
PEOPLES PARTY.
PEOPLES PARTY.

The following are the offices to be filled:

State treasurer.
State superintendent of public instruction.
Clerk of supreme court.
Clerk of city and county.
Commissioner of agriculture.
County clerk.
County treasurer.

Three of the tickets are complete. Republican, Democratic and Prohibition, but the other three parties have not yet decided on their nominees for state officers and university trustees.

Questions of Public Policy.
Under a new law all questions of public policy are to be voted on separately and for that reason there are two ballots. Therefore such questions were included on the ticket of the candidates and it is believed this fact has resulted in many such questions being entirely overlooked by the voters.

The attention of the voters is called to the fact that the voters are to be called to the polls to vote on the following questions of public policy.

First.
Shall the next general assembly submit to the people of the state of Illinois at the next state election a constitutional amendment providing for the control of legislation by the people by means of the initiative and referendum?

Second.
Shall the next general assembly enact a statute by which the voters of the political subdivisions of the state of Illinois may be enabled to initiate or amend local legislation by filing a petition signed by a certain percentage of the legal voters in said political subdivisions and to have referred to the voters any legislation enacted by the several local legislative bodies, by the filing of a petition therefor for a certain percentage of the legal voters of any such political subdivisions; the action of a majority of these voters to decide in each case?

Third.
Shall the next general assembly take

Fourth.
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Twenty-sixth.
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Twenty-seventh.
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DEPENDENT GIRL

Daughter of Ella Hunter is Sent to the Anna B. Millikin Home.

WILSON GETS OFF EASY.

Small Fine and Eighteen Hours in Jail—Court House News.

In the county court Thursday, George Wilson, the eight-year-old daughter of Ella Hunter was declared a dependent child and sent to the Anna B. Millikin home. The child has always made her home with her grandmother until the past few days. Complaint was made by Trust Officer J. C. Evans and she was adjudged a dependent child. The mother of the child did not want to care for her, but she did not want the little one taken to the home. She was in court during the proceedings and when she learned that the child was to be taken away she demanded that the clothing worn by her be returned. She made a motion as if to strip the little one, but Judge Hammer ordered an officer to quiet the woman. The child on the contrary wanted to go to the home, asking her mother not to interfere because they gave her plenty to eat there. If the Hunter woman behaves herself she will be allowed to see the child occasionally, but otherwise she will not.

Made Easy for Wilson.
W. J. Wilson, the man who stole City Attorney Walters' overcoat and sold it was arraigned in the county court on a charge of larceny. He entered a plea of guilty and was fined five dollars and costs and sentenced to the county jail for eighteen hours. His sentence will expire this morning and the prisoner will then start for St. Louis. Some of the attorneys have made up a purse to assist him to that point, where Wilson hopes to take the cure for his intermittent fevers and get a new start in the world.

An Information Filed.
An information was filed Thursday against Matt Tozer of Macon, charging him with assaulting William Ryan. The assault occurred last Saturday and Ryan was painfully injured about the head by being hit with a brick. It is charged that Matt made the assault under the impression that Ryan had offered an insult to Mrs. Tozer but this is denied by Ryan. A hearing of the case will probably be had today.

Probate Business.
In the estate of Clinton Dunkel, deceased a final report was filed by the administrator, Ed L. Hight and the same approved by the court.

Last Time Too Much.
Eva May Warner filed a suit for divorce in the circuit court asking an absolute separation from her husband, John W. Warner. She charges him with extreme and repeated cruelty, and cites recent incidents to prove her story. The couple were married on July 7, 1899. The woman avers that her husband has frequently threatened to kill her. She alleges that on October 14, 1902, he hit her a blow in the face that nearly broke her jaw, and that on the day following he hit her again and blacked her eyes. On the 23d she charges that he again beat her violently and pulled her hair. This was more than she could stand and she went to her lawyers and began a suit for divorce, asking that the defendant be made to contribute to her support and attorney fees during the pendency of the suit.

Deaths Recorded.
Katie H. Rife to Louis Wolf, lot No. 14 and the east half of lot No. 15, block 2 of P. H. Bruce's addition to Decatur. Consideration \$1850.

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Conrad Heinz to Magdalena Fretus lot No. 4 and the west half of the south east quarter of section 21, township 18, range 3 east; containing five acres. Consideration \$350.

Sylvester E. Wilson to Mary A. Seiver 1 acres in the south half of section 19, township 15, range 1 east. Consideration \$400.

Geo. W. Ehrhart to James M. Barfield lots 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23, block 11 of J. A. Wood's Walnut Grove addition. Consideration \$800.

Marriage Licenses.
Ralph E. Noden, Oaklawn, Ill. 25
Lula C. Phares, Grove City, Ill. 25
Charles C. Howard, Decatur, Ill. 25
Mary Ann Yoder, Decatur, Ill. 25
Alfred Platt, Decatur, Ill. 22
Ray Weller Burks, Decatur, Ill. 26

SOME IMPROVEMENTS
To Be Made at the Suffern-Hunt Mill.

Work has been commenced upon the addition to the Suffern & Hunt mill which was planned last spring. The addition will be situated on the north side of the mill and will be about twelve feet deep, giving room for more machinery. The new boiler plant which will be installed in a new better house on the east side of the mill will make available more power which will admit of increasing the capacity to 8000 bushels. A lot of new white corn has been purchased for the local mill and grinding will begin in a couple of weeks.

Was Dismissed.
The case of the people vs. Samuel Campbell in which John H. Park was the complainant was dismissed in Justice Provost's court Thursday for lack of prosecution.

Subscribing for The Herald.

WILL ASSESS MINERS

For Benefit of Anthracite Miners for Some Time Yet.

Illinois coal miners will continue to send assistance to the striking miners in the anthracite fields, although the men will return to work in a short time. While work has been resumed it will be a month before any of them receive pay, and in the meantime outside assistance will be necessary.

Secretary W. D. Ryan of the United Mine Workers of Illinois, stated that the Illinois miners would be assessed as usual until the time arrived when the strikers in the east are able to care for themselves. He said that while a number of the miners would not be given employment at once, they would be cared for by their own funds as soon as means are available. Until that time they will receive their share of the outside contributions.

Mr. Ryan, in speaking of supporting the strikers, said:

"You have heard of the fall dinner. Well, that is more necessary when the miners are at work than when they are idle. They must live until they receive their pay, and the Illinois miners will continue to pay until that time arrives."

The Apple Crop.
The apple crop of southern Illinois is of great proportions this year. With an area exceeding 40,000 acres set to a total exceeding 2,000,000 trees one-half of which one-half are bearing this year, the counties of "Egypt" resemble one large apple orchard. This immense acreage is centered about the little city of Florin, the metropolis of Clay county. Preparations are now under way to harvest this immense crop and every one is hustling to meet the rush which is now at hand. In order to care for the grades of fruit other than first class nine large evaporators have been built. These plans when running at full capacity will use 15,000 bushels daily. They are a marvel within themselves. Not only do they dry the body of the apple, but cores and peels are also evaporated, and they find a ready market.—Greenup Press.

LONG LOST THIMBLE
Found After Thirty Years and Returned to Mrs. Freeman.

Mrs. Mary Freeman of this city lost a silver thimble about thirty years ago at the Freeman farm near Moweaqua. The article was lost in a pasture used as a hog lot and the other day the piece of land was plowed up for the first time and the missing thimble caught the eye of the plowman as the earth was rolled up by the plow.

The thimble was of solid silver and had engraved upon it Mrs. Freeman's maiden initials, M. L. W., and the silver was not the least tarnished when the man who lives on the farm returned it to Mrs. Freeman.

Chicago Prices.
Wheat—No. 2 red 72; No. 3 red 68 to 72; No. 2 hard 72; No. 3 hard 65 to 69.

Corn—No. 2, 57 1/2 to 58 1/2; No. 3, 55 1/2 to 56 1/2; No. 4, 53 1/2 to 54 1/2; No. 5, 51 1/2 to 52 1/2; No. 6, 49 1/2 to 50 1/2; No. 7, 47 1/2 to 48 1/2; No. 8, 45 1/2 to 46 1/2; No. 9, 43 1/2 to 44 1/2; No. 10, 41 1/2 to 42 1/2; No. 11, 39 1/2 to 40 1/2; No. 12, 37 1/2 to 38 1/2; No. 13, 35 1/2 to 36 1/2; No. 14, 33 1/2 to 34 1/2; No. 15, 31 1/2 to 32 1/2; No. 16, 29 1/2 to 30 1/2; No. 17, 27 1/2 to 28 1/2; No. 18, 25 1/2 to 26 1/2; No. 19, 23 1/2 to 24 1/2; No. 20, 21 1/2 to 22 1/2; No. 21, 19 1/2 to 20 1/2; No. 22, 17 1/2 to 18 1/2; No. 23, 15 1/2 to 16 1/2; No. 24, 13 1/2 to 14 1/2; No. 25, 11 1/2 to 12 1/2; No. 26, 9 1/2 to 10 1/2; No. 27, 7 1/2 to 8 1/2; No. 28, 5 1/2 to 6 1/2; No. 29, 3 1/2 to 4 1/2; No. 30, 1 1/2 to 2 1/2; No. 31, 1/2 to 1 1/2; No. 32, 1/4 to 3/4; No. 33, 1/8 to 1/4; No. 34, 1/16 to 1/8; No. 35, 1/32 to 1/16; No. 36, 1/64 to 1/32; No. 37, 1/128 to 1/64; No. 38, 1/256 to 1/128; No. 39, 1/512 to 1/256; No. 40, 1/1024 to 1/512; No. 41, 1/2048 to 1/1024; No. 42, 1/4096 to 1/2048; 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READY FOR WORK

MINERS WILL RESUME THIS MORNING BUT AMOUNT OF COAL HOISTED WILL BE SMALL.

THOUSANDS APPLY FOR

For Re-Employment Are Being Made—Non-Union Men Quitting the Mines.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Oct. 22.—Rapid progress is being made toward resuming work tomorrow morning. The quantity of coal mined this week will not be large. It is not believed that 25 per cent of the normal production will be reached until some time next week. The day was devoted to a general inspection of the mines by the coal commission. It was found that the coal is in good condition and that the mines are ready for work. The coal commission is confident that the mines will be able to produce a large amount of coal in the near future. The coal commission is also confident that the miners will be able to resume work in the near future. The coal commission is also confident that the miners will be able to resume work in the near future.

BACK TO THE MINES.

Thousands of Men Go to Work Once More.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Oct. 22.—Thousands of men began work today repairing and placing collieries in condition. The resumption of coal mining is under way. They are principally the men who were employed in the mines before the strike. They are now working in the mines and are producing coal. The coal commission is confident that the mines will be able to produce a large amount of coal in the near future. The coal commission is also confident that the miners will be able to resume work in the near future.

LYONS' REPORT

Shows Americans Anxious to Invest in National Securities.

Washington, Oct. 22.—The report of the committee on the national securities, published today, shows that Americans are anxious to invest in national securities. The report shows that the demand for national securities is very large. The committee is confident that the national securities will be able to raise a large amount of money in the near future. The committee is also confident that the national securities will be able to raise a large amount of money in the near future.

LIVE STOCK COMMISSION FIRM

Of the Chicago Stock Yards Forced to the Wall.

Chicago, Oct. 22.—On the application of the stock yards a receiver was appointed for the stock yards. The receiver is confident that the stock yards will be able to pay their debts in the near future. The receiver is also confident that the stock yards will be able to pay their debts in the near future.

EXPRESS COMPANY INDICTED

Iowa Grand Jury Considers the Corporation in Light of a Retail Liquor Dealer.

FOR HANDLING C. O. D. PACKAGES.

Keokuk, Ia., Oct. 22.—The federal grand jury today indicted the Adams Express company for alleged violation of the revenue laws. The grand jury found that the Adams Express company was acting as a retail liquor dealer. The grand jury is confident that the Adams Express company will be able to pay its debts in the near future. The grand jury is also confident that the Adams Express company will be able to pay its debts in the near future.

JIM YOUNGER BURIED.

Remains of the Bandit Led to Rest at Lee's Summit, Mo.

Lee's Summit, Mo., Oct. 22.—The body of Jim Younger arrived here at 10:30 this morning in charge of C. R. Dick, a cousin of Kansas City, accompanied by Mrs. Henriette Rawlins, Dallas, Tex.; Mrs. M. A. Jones, Dallas, Tex.; Mrs. Helen Kelley, Amarok, Mo.; Mrs. Jeff Duncan, Thompson, Ark.; all sisters of Younger. All arrangements for the funeral will be left to Mrs. Henriette Rawlins of Dallas, Tex. It will take place tomorrow. No arrangements have been made for any services. An effort is being made to procure the services of Dr. Roberts, of the Church of This World, Kansas City, to officiate.

REPUBLICANS AT CINCINNATI.

Hold Rally and Hear Speeches by Beveridge and Hanna.

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 22.—After a parade of clubs tonight Senators Beveridge, Foraker and Hanna addressed the republican rally tonight. Beveridge was the principal speaker and gave much attention to the trusts, combatting the proposition that the remedy for the evil was reduction of the tariff. Senator Hanna was given an ovation and spoke mostly of state affairs. He scathingly denounced the democratic platform and policies. He spoke of the coal strike he said the conditions now favored organized labor being fully recognized by capital and he wanted organized labor Americanized. He referred to the different elements in organized labor and hoped capital in the future would go more than half way. This he considered the greatest development of the 20th century. He insisted that reconciliation should be developed into full partnership so that employee would be as free to go to the offices as the employer to go to the shop.

Baseball Briefs.

Norwood Gibson, a Peoria boy, who pitched for Kansas City last season, has signed with the Boston team of the American league, at a salary of \$3,000 per year.
Bloomington begins to fear that the town will not be recognized in the make-up of the Three-league circuit next year. The Pantagraph says, "The meeting of the Three-league to decide on the circuit will be held in St. Louis on the third Thursday in November. Some of the local people are wondering whether or not Bloomington will be in the league next year. It is understood that President Sexton has been in Springfield again within the last few days, looking over the field with a view to putting in a team there. It is generally believed that sentiment is being worked up in the capital city to get a team there with a view to bringing Bloomington. Although President Sexton at the meeting in Rockford expressed himself as being perfectly satisfied with the present makeup of the league. If Bloomington should, by any chance, be dropped from the circuit, there are a number of other cities in the state which are thoroughly impregnated with the baseball fever and no difficulty would be found in forming another league which would in every respect equal the Three-L."

IN HONOR OF MRS. BACO

Woman's Club Will Give a Reception October 30—Directory Plans to Secure Prominent Speakers.

MEMBERS ARE URGED TO VOTE.

The directory of the Woman's club held a meeting Wednesday morning and discussed several matters of interest.
It was decided to give a public reception Thursday evening, October 30, at the club rooms in honor of Mrs. Eugene Bacon who was elected president of the State Federation at the recent meeting in Chicago. Mrs. Frank Ewing is in charge of the arrangements.
A general invitation is extended to all friends of the club and Mrs. Bacon to attend. The gentlemen as well as the ladies are invited.
The next general meeting will be held Wednesday, November 5. The program will include the reports of the delegates to the State Federation meeting and Mrs. Alfred Dayless, wife of the state superintendent of public instruction has been invited to speak on "Education."
Mrs. Dayless holds the position of chairman of the education committee of the state federation.
During the winter the directory hopes to have a number of prominent speakers from abroad address the club. Among those mentioned are Rabbi Emil Hirsch, Catherine Vaughn McCullough and Margaret Haley of Chicago.
Along the subject of education it was decided to have Miss Margaret Crissey visit the meetings of the various divisions and urge the members to register so that they may vote for university trustee at the approaching election.

AMATEUR SOLDIERS

Will Give an Entertainment to Raise Funds for Equipment.

The Yates Cadets will give an entertainment and social at the home of Edgar Murray, 323 North Morgan street on Tuesday evening, November 4. They will go through the drill manual and will have a program of vocal and instrumental selections. The money derived from the entertainment will be used to purchase guns which have been ordered from Washington. Orville Johnson, the captain, is receiving new recruits daily and has a company of about forty members at present. It is expected the company will be increased to sixty before a month.
The boys have received invitations from several towns to come there and give exhibitions at entertainments. As soon as the guns arrive the boys will accept some of these and will go out of town several evenings during the winter.

SHERWELL CASE.

Evansville Policeman is On Trial For Several Murders.

Evansville, Ind., Oct. 22.—In the trial of William F. Sherwell for the murder of three women, Prosecutor Edgar Durran announced that the state was ready to rest. After the state rested Durran adjourned until 2 o'clock. In his opening statement, Prosecutor Durran said he would prove that shortly after the arrest of Sherwell Coroner Walker received a letter that purported to come from a woman at Tipton, Ia. It stated that the writer just had a talk with a friend of Sherwell, and that this friend said Sherwell was out with his survey on the night of the murder, but that he was with two better looking women than Mrs. Bailey and Lena Renner.
The first witness called this morning was Joseph McInerney, who said he met Sherwell the Sunday before his arrest and asked him if he did not see him at the Grand opera house on the night of November 11. The witness replied that he did not, whereupon Sherwell said to him: "If anybody asks you tell them you saw me there."
Mrs. Mary Owen was recalled and said Mrs. Bailey had a great deal of company. She only saw Sherwell talking to her once. The defense will admit Sherwell was out in his survey on the night of the murder of Mrs. Bailey, but will attempt to prove that he was at the Grand opera house and went from there to his home. They claim to have several witnesses, who will testify that Sherwell was not in Frank Kippel's saloon on the night of the murder. Sherwell is rejoiced at the turn things have taken, and his face brightened up when the state announced its inability to prove Sherwell the author of the Iowa letter.

ALARMED AT IMMIGRATION

Officials Say It Will Reach 800,000 This Year.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Immigration officials here are alarmed over the prospect of an unprecedented influx of undesirable aliens. They believe during the coming year will far surpass all previous records and will reach 800,000.
England and other countries, whose immigrants make good citizens, showed a falling off last year, while the countries of southern Europe furnished heavy increases. The immigration figures for August show the total alien arrivals to have been 45,549, against 32,403 for the same month of last year.
At the rate of 13,000 increase in a single month the total alien arrivals for the next fiscal year would reach 800,000, and this number is expected.
This does not include those aliens who come over in the first and second class cabins. Last year this to-

AGED AND DYING

Members of the Cabinet Decide Action Does Not Require Resignation. Sentiment Divided.

THE VOTE ON THE QUESTION

Copenhagen, Oct. 22.—The landsting by a vote today rejected on second reading the bill providing for ratification of the treaty in regard to cession of the Danish West Indies to the United States.
The announcement caused the greatest excitement in the house and a demonstration on the part of spectators.
The cabinet held a meeting immediately after the rejection of the bill and the ministers agreed the action of the landsting did not necessitate their resignation.
The finance minister intends to send a commission to the Danish West Indies to investigate the situation with a view of assisting the islands in developing better economic conditions. A syndicate which recently promised to help the islands has been requested to submit its plans and prepare to carry them out as soon as possible.
Majority Against It.
The predominant sentiment throughout Denmark is undoubtedly pro-secession and the rejection of the treaty is attributed chiefly to the domestic and political effort to embarrass the government and bring about the resignation of the minister of finance. The question of the sale of the islands may not remain dead for any length of time. Inability of the landsting to agree on a policy of bettering the conditions of the islands is expected to be a factor in again forcing the sale question to an issue.
The result of today's vote was doubtful until the last moment. One member had not taken a definite stand and it was uncertain whether two sick members would be able to attend.
Dying Men Brought In.
The ages of these men, Thygeson and Raben, were 97 and 87 years respectively. Both had been expected to die for several weeks past; they were both bedridden at their homes, 150 miles from Copenhagen, but were brought to the city. Prominent anti-secession political leaders were sent to transport them here. The sufferers, accompanied by physicians, were carried into a salon car, which was rolled on to a ferry boat, on which it crossed from Jutland. On their arrival at Copenhagen they were met by leading anti-secessionists and were driven in a carriage to a hotel. There the two old men were guarded and nursed over night and were eventually carried to their chairs in the landsting hall an hour before the meeting. They had a prompter on hand to assist them in voting.
Long before the hour fixed for the meeting of the house streets outside the building were crowded with excited secessionists for admission.
Thousands were turned away, and the hall and galleries were packed. The vote was taken amid suppressed excitement and the announcement of the result was greeted with a storm of cheers and hisses. The exhibitions of joy on the part of the anti-secession men were almost unbounded. The disorder was not suppressed for considerable time.

ARE IMMUNE FROM TYPHOID

Arabs Free Because They are Brought Up on Bad Water.

Some Frenchman or other read a paper before the Paris Society or Biology recently which makes the statement that the Arabs are practically immune from typhoid fever. That is to say, an Arab can bear any kind of exposure to typhoid fever without taking it. They account for this peculiar bodily condition of the Arab from the fact that ever since his early infancy he has been reared on impure drinking water, which, in the countries where the Arabs abound, is notably bad. It is saturated with all sorts of contamination.
This has had the effect of weeding out the weaker ones and leaving only those to live who can stand typhoid fever germs. The grown Arab, therefore, is able to bear exposure that would give a European typhoid fever at once. This, however, is not intended as any argument for the use of impure drinking water. It only shows that the human system is capable of adjusting itself to unfavorable conditions.
But while the Arab is immune from typhoid fever, he is especially susceptible to consumption. This fact is accounted for by the reason that he has been accustomed to the very pure air of the mountains and when exposed to the climate of Europe he quickly succumbs to consumption. He can stand our drinking water, but he cannot stand our climate.

May Resort to Amendment.

Washington, Oct. 22.—It is probable in view of the closeness of the vote in the landsting on the sale of the Danish West Indies, the Danish government will decide to make another attempt to secure approval of the treaty at a more auspicious time. This may be accomplished by negotiating with the United States an amendment to the treaty extending the time allowed for the exchange of ratifications of the original treaty. This could be done by Denmark without reference to the landsting. But as the treaty has been ratified by the United States senate, the amendment in our case necessarily would require approval by the senate, as in the case of the original convention. There is some reason to believe that senators who were opposed to cession at the last session had made no attempt to prevent ratification because of the reluctance to break up the order of business in a critical moment, may now feel at liberty to oppose the amendment in case one were presented. This contingency is now under consideration.

On a Hunt.

Harry Gibson, the well known Wash-

bash engineer will leave the last of the week for a visit to Oklahoma. He is going down there for the purpose of hunting quail.

Move to Bloomington.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 22.—The offices of Trainmaster Hutchinson and Des-

patcher Dent of the Chicago & Alton will be removed November first from this city to Bloomington.

The Bargain Hunter's Favorite Hymn

should be "sweet buy and buy."

WORLD'S RECORD WAS MADE

In the Free-For-All Wagon Race at Memphis On Wednesday.

EDITH W WINS BOTH HEATS.

Memphis Tenn., Oct. 22.—The world's record was made at the Memphis track this afternoon in the free-for-all wagon race, with an amateur driver, Edith W winning both heats, each being paced in 2:05 3-4.
Free-for-all pace to wagon, amateur drivers:
Edith W 1 1
Fred S Wedgewood 2 2
Time 2:05 3-4.
2:15 pace, purse \$2000.
Direct Hal 1 1
Dr. Madara 2 2
Cousin Mudge 3 3
Best time 2:08.
2:20 trot, purse \$2000.
Princess of Orange 1 1
Dulce Cor 2 2
Frances B 3 3
Best time 2:09.
2:00 pace, purse \$1000.
Fannie Dillard 4 1
Daniel 4 6
Little Squaw 5 2
Best time 2:05 1-2.
2:11 trot, to wagon, amateur drivers.
Inogene 1 1
Franker 2 2
Alice Barnes 3 3
Best time 2:11 3-4.
John A. McKerron, to beat 2:06 1-2.
Time 2:07.
The Monk, to beat 2:05 3-4. Time 2:07 1-2.

Kansas City Show.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 22.—Among the first prize winners at the horse show today were:

Pairs in harness: Bessie and 1 mate Labelle, Knoll farm, Oconomowoc, Wis. Potato race: G. P. Slatter, Sioux City, Iowa.

K. P. OFFICERS

Elected at Yesterday's Session of Grand Lodge in Quincy.

Quincy, Ill., Oct. 22.—The Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias elected these officers: Grand chancellor: General James H. Barclay, of Springfield; Grand vice chancellor: William C. E. Jones, of Chicago; Grand master: J. W. Whiting, of Canton; master of the exchequer: Willard F. Dunlap, of Jacksonville; keeper of records and seals: Harry D. Caldwell; inner guard: Levin L. Gass, of Danville; outer guard: Louis C. Hay of Bloomington; master at arms: Frank C. Smith of East St. Louis.

FIGHT AGAINST BIBLE

In Public Schools Instituted by Wealthy Citizen of Topeka.

Topeka, Kas., Oct. 22.—J. B. Billard, a wealthy miller of this city, has sued the board of education to compel the removal of bible reading from the public schools. Billard's son was expelled because he refused to give proper attention during the opening exercises when the bible was being read. Leading attorneys are on both sides of the case and it is causing much interest in legal circles.

MAY MARY SIAM'S PRINCE

Reported Engagement of Niece of Major Bluford Wilson.

The report of the press is that Miss Eleanor Wilson, daughter of Gen. James H. Wilson, of Delavan, Ill., and a niece of Major Bluford Wilson of this city, is to be married to the Crown Prince of Siam. The prince met Miss Wilson in London during the coronation and is reported to have fallen in love with her. One of the first places that the prince visited when he arrived in this country was Wilmington, Del., where he was the guest of Gen. Wilson and saw a great deal of Miss Wilson. Miss Wilson is a blonde and 26 years of age. The prince is 32 years and is reported to be thoroughly English and up-to-date. He was educated in England and is the author of several books in history.—Sp ingfield Register.

MURDER IN COAL MINE.

Charles Russell Cuts Throat of Thomas E. Rider at Springfield.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 22.—Special—Charles Russell, a miner, cut the throat of Thomas E. Rider in the Jefferson coal mine here today. Both men are colored and unmarried.
Rider was a driver and the cutting grew out of a dispute in which Russell claimed that Rider did not keep him supplied with emphy. Half a dozen witnesses saw the killing. After inflicting a fatal wound Russell chased his victim 50 yards along the gangway.
The coroner's jury recommended that Russell be held to await the action of the grand jury.

MRS. ADAH DENNIS DEAD.

Washington Puzzled Over Mysterious Case Looking Like Murder.

Washington, Oct. 22.—After hovering between life and death since last December, Mrs. Adah Gilbert Dennis, the victim of one of the most mysterious assaults in the history of the District of Columbia, died at the Garfield hospital today.
With her death the last hope of the solution of the mystery has disappeared.
Mrs. Dennis came here from Gettysburg, Pa., and married Walter Dennis, a Washington actor. She was found Dec. 10 insensible in her bedroom. Her skull was crushed. Various theories were advanced as to the motive of the crime, but no definite clue was ever obtained. She never recovered sufficiently to talk rationally.
A man has to have a pretty hard cheek to travel on his face.

AN EARLY SETTLEMENT

Of the Strike of the Wabash Boiler Makers is Believed to be Among Possibilities.

MACHINISTS WILL NOT STRIKE.

There were rumors last night of an early settlement of the strike of the boiler makers employed on the Wabash. It was stated in this city that General Manager Ramsey of the road had called on Superintendent Barnes for a new schedule of wages for the men and that he will pass on this at once and the men will return to work. There is not much danger of the machinists going on a strike, although there has been some talk of it. One of the latter class stated last night that the men in that branch could not quit their work unless ordered to by the principal officers of their organization, unless they wanted to strike as an individual organization and if they did this they would lose all rights to benefits. For this reason he did not think that there would be any trouble in this branch of the work.
The boiler makers first presented their demands to Superintendent Barnes on September 2, and a committee returned to him on October 4th to renew the demand.
A committee of machinists and boiler makers called on October 6th, and were asked by the superintendent or eight or ten days in which to consider the matter. The men say that Mr. Barnes received them kindly and spoke in high terms of his treatment.

WILL BE SECRETARY.

Theo. Coughlin Goes to New R. Y. M. C. A. at Urbana.

Theo. Coughlin has resigned his position with the Wabash railroad and will enter the Y. M. C. A. work. He will leave this week for Hawthorn Yards where he will assist in the work. From there he takes charge as secretary of the new R. Y. M. C. A. which is being formed in Urbana.
In the last few months Decatur has sent out three Y. M. C. A. secretaries to responsible positions. J. M. Ravista went to Kankakee, W. B. Connelley has accepted joint position with the Shurtliff College and Alton as secretary and Theo. Coughlin goes to Urbana.

AN UNUSUAL CASE.

Fifteen Years Old and in the Third Grade.

Truant Patrolman J. C. Owen made his report to Superintendent Gaston yesterday. He has handed about twenty pupils in the schools this fall and has subdued six "hokey" boys.
Mr. Owens bears many pathetic stories of plucking poverty, which prevents the children from being sent to school. Many older children are required to assist their mothers in doing washings to support a drunken or lazy father, and others lack the necessary clothing or books to attend.
While Patrolman Owen was still talking to Mr. Gastman a big, bulky young fellow appears in the doorway of the superintendent's office and announced, "In the follow you sent for." It developed that the boy who is 15 years old, is attending one of the ward schools in the third grade and was sent to the superintendent on account of repeated absence amounting to more than half of the school days in each month.
The boy said that he had lived on a farm and that while he had attended a country school, for a short time he had to leave to work on the farm. His recent absence were because he was needed at home.
Superintendent Gastman feels that something can be done for the boy and intends to try to push him through several of the grades this year.

John Trainer.

John Trainer, late editor of the Lesson Leaf, is located at Farmington, in Montgomery county, where he is directing a country newspaper. The office of the Lesson Leaf, in the Arcade building, is closed, and the material has been moved by J. H. Culver to the Mantion block on N. 4th Water street.

In Decatur on a Visit.

George Morgan, a former Washash conductor, was in the city Wednesday on a business trip. George is now located at Litchfield, where he is conducting successfully the Wabash eating house, near the station. Many Decatur people patronize George and get their money's worth.

Reception to Rev. Brandon.

Members of Grace church will host a general church social and reception for their pastor and family Friday night in the lecture room of the church. A very pleasant evening's entertainment is being planned and it is hoped every member of Grace church will make an effort to be present. Come and bring your friends.

At the Reunion.

Fred Norman of this city and J. A. Cochran, flag custodian at the state capital, were at Tuscola Wednesday attending the annual reunion of the Illinois Association of Ex-Prisoners of War.

For a Second Time.

The plate glass window on the eley side of the Morehouse & Wells building was broken yesterday. A teamer backed into it. This makes the second time that glass has been broken and both of the front panes have been broken once.

It's funny that a politician becomes a hanger-on after he loses his str.

VICTIM OF DRINK

W. L. Wilson Anxious to Break Away From His Habits of Intemperance.

WILL BE GIVEN TRIAL TODAY.

Disposition Shown to Make Punishment Light—Court House News.

W. L. Wilson who was arrested yesterday for the theft of an overcoat belonging to City Attorney Walters, is to be given a trial today. It is likely that he will get off with a light punishment. The city attorney got back his property and there is no intention to punish Wilson severely. Although it is a misdemeanor to steal an overcoat, it is a common thing for a man to do so. Wilson is a Chicago attorney, a graduate of the Georgetown university and a member of the bar. He is a strong drink habit, and it is a complete waste of time to think of him as a strong drink habit. He is a strong drink habit, and it is a complete waste of time to think of him as a strong drink habit. He is a strong drink habit, and it is a complete waste of time to think of him as a strong drink habit.

Probate Matters.

In the county court, Mr. J. L. Judge, who gave his attention to the probate of the will of the late Mrs. J. L. Judge, who died recently, is now in the hands of the court. The will of the late Mrs. J. L. Judge, who died recently, is now in the hands of the court. The will of the late Mrs. J. L. Judge, who died recently, is now in the hands of the court.

HUNDRED FOR MISS SHEEHAN.

Admirers Give Her the Money Raised For Votes During Queen Contest.

Miss Mary Sheehan, head of the Young Women's club, who was crowned queen of the city, is now in the hands of the court. The will of the late Mrs. J. L. Judge, who died recently, is now in the hands of the court. The will of the late Mrs. J. L. Judge, who died recently, is now in the hands of the court.

SOMETHING UNUSUAL.

Young Cow Owned By W. H. Parker Gives Birth To Two Calves.

W. H. Parker, a well known farmer and stockman, who lives on a farm near the city, is now in the hands of the court. The will of the late Mrs. J. L. Judge, who died recently, is now in the hands of the court. The will of the late Mrs. J. L. Judge, who died recently, is now in the hands of the court.

Culiver Co. Sued.

A suit for \$15,000 damages against Culiver Construction company was filed yesterday afternoon.

Deeds Recorded.

Walter Phillips to J. H. Hurd, 1-2 acres in section 28, township 16, range 2 east, consideration \$1.

Pension Board.

The board of Pension Examiners yesterday examined Richard R. Dinn, a pensioner who has applied for an increase in his pension.

Goos Like Hot Cakes.

The fastest selling article in my store is Goos. I have a lot of them in stock.

A New Ruling.

A new postoffice ruling has gone into effect, imposing a fine of \$200 on any person who fails to return a letter.

SHUT OUT THE LITTLE ONES

Introduction of Rural Free Mail Delivery Diminishes Postoffice.

WYNNE MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT.

First Assistant Postmaster General Wynne announced that where rural free delivery is established, postoffices must be discontinued.

Can Be Cooked In Many Different And Attractive Ways.

In point of usefulness the apple undoubtedly holds the same relation to fruit as wheat holds to grain. While in the south it may have a trial in its sweet spots, the orange, it adapts itself to more variations than the latter, which is more in the nature of a beverage than a solid food material. The apple is firmer than most fruits, and its texture is more uniform. It is a good food material, and its texture is more uniform. It is a good food material, and its texture is more uniform.

JOE HOWARD, ROVER.

Biggest Bum On Record Placed In City Prison Last Night.

Joe Howard, a notorious criminal, was placed in the city prison last night. He is a well known figure in the city, and his name is well known. He is a well known figure in the city, and his name is well known.

DAVID DAVIS' MANSION.

At Bloomington Damaged By Fire To Extent of \$50,000.

The famous Davis mansion at Bloomington, one of the finest residences in central Illinois, was burned Tuesday. The fire was caused by a gas leak, and the damage was estimated at \$50,000.

Apple Sponge.

Grate two large firm pippins or greenings into a bowl and cover with one and one-half cups of powdered sugar, adding the sugar to the apple as you grate to prevent the discoloring of the apple.

Apple Puff.

Bake sufficient number of large, well-flavored apples to make a pint of pulp, which should be removed from the skins while hot. To this add three-quarters of a cup of sugar, the juice of half a lemon or third of a cup of syrup from preserved pineapple. Beat the mixture until light, then add the beaten yolks of three eggs and whip again. Fold in the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Have ready a cupful of bread crumbs, nicely browned in butter. Put the prepared pulp and crumbs in a baking dish in alternate layers and bake for twenty-five minutes. Serve with whipped cream.

Apple Pot Pie.

Line an earthen stew pan with good pie paste, but a layer of sliced tart apples, sprinkle generously with sugar and grate a little nutmeg over the top; then add more apples, sugar and nutmeg, until dish is full. Pour in a little water, just enough to prevent burning, cover with thinly rolled paste, leaving an opening in the center to allow the escape of steam. Set on the stove where it will cook slowly or bake in a medium hot oven long enough to cook the crust thoroughly. Eat with a soft pudding sauce or sweetened cream.

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It's Relation to Fruit is the Same as That of Wheat to Grain.

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Apple Custard Pie.

Press a pint of stewed apples through a colander; add three well beaten eggs, one tablespoonful of butter, melted, half a cup of sweet, rich milk and flavor with lemon or nutmeg. Bake in a thin under-crust for half an hour.

Apple Strudel.

To make the strudel paste, put a teaspoonful of butter in a cup of warm milk, add a pinch of salt and one egg; stir this into sufficient sifted flour to make a soft dough. Put out on a flour-board and work with the hands for ten minutes. Have a soft dough, but not moist enough to stick to the hands. Roll a bowl with rolling pin, around like a coil of rope. Brush with warm water and lay it in the bowl, cover and let it stand for half an hour. Then turn out on a floured cloth, and pull the dough out until as thin as paper, placing the rolling pin on one side to hold it in place. Brush over with melted butter and spread with jelly cake roll. Butter a round biscuit pan, put in the strudel and twist it around like a coil of rope. Brush with softened butter; bake in a medium hot oven until the paste is well done and a light brown. Serve with or without sauce. Good eaten hot or cold.

Apple Filling For Strudel.

Pare, quarter and slice five or six fine greenings or pippins, put them in a saucepan with a large tablespoon of butter, half a cup of sugar and let them cook gently until apples are soft, then add a third of a cup of currants, the same of seeded raisins and finely chopped citron or preserved melon. Stir, flavored with a little grated lemon or orange peel and a tablespoonful of tart fruit jelly. Let get cold before spreading on the strudel paste.

Apples With Meringue and Jelly.

Pure and core medium-sized apples and cook them tender, without breaking, in water, sugar and lemon juice. Drain and roll each apple in melted cherry or currant jelly, then in some chopped nuts. Place the apples on a dish in a pyramid, with a delicately browned meringue pyramid between each apple. Put a spoonful of cherry or currant jelly on top of each apple and serve. The syrup in which the apples are cooked may be served as a sauce or stiffened in a jelly, then cut into cubes and used to decorate the dish.

Jones' Conundrum.

Returning recently from one of his annual trips to Europe, Senator Chauncey M. Depew was, as usual, the center of life of the group which gathered in the steamers' smoking room after dinner, and all of his most ancient stories were brushed up and made to do duty once more. Nearly all of the other passengers volunteered various contributions to the general entertainment, but one old countryman sat at a corner every evening, smoking his pipe in silence, broken only now and then by a guttural chuckle. As the steamer neared New York Mr. Depew proposed to the others that he should have a little fun with this old haysack and try to get a rise out of him, and calling across the room he said:

"Mr. Jones, all of the rest of us have been doing what we could to amuse the company during the voyage, but we have not heard from you. Can't you tell us a story?"

Mr. Jones could not think of any story.

"Well, can you sing us a song?"

Oh, no, Mr. Jones could not sing.

"Well, you certainly ought to do you share; perhaps you can give us a conundrum."

Well, he had been thinking of a conundrum, Mr. Jones finally admitted, and it was this:

"What is the difference between Mr. Depew and a wild turkey?"

When no one present could suggest the answer Mr. Jones drawled out:

"Well, a wild turkey ain't stuffed with chestnuts till after he's dead."—New York Times.

MARY WANTS DAMAGES.

Decatur Officers Go to Mattoon to Testify in Case.

Chief of Police Sullivan and Patrolman Mathersburg left last night for Mattoon to appear as witnesses in the damages suit brought against Dennis Lyon, the chief of police in that city by Mary Hays. She wants ten thousand dollars for false imprisonment. The Hays woman was arrested in this city several months ago on a charge of larceny. The Decatur officers held her on the request of the Mattoon officials and Lyons came here and got her.

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A HOME WEDDING

Marriage of Miss Anna B. Davis to M. H. Glassford Last Night.

THE HARRIS-MERRITT NUPTIALS.

Proved Something of a Surprise to Friends of the Couple.

A charming home wedding took place last evening when Miss Anna B. Davis, daughter of Mrs. E. B. Traher, 761 North Monroe street, and M. H. Glassford of 769 North Main street were united in marriage. Rev. W. L. Banks, of Blue Mount was the officiating minister. The ceremony was performed in the drawing room, which was decorated in pink and white. The bride was a massive bouquet of chrysanthemums of pink and white. The bridegroom was a dainty creation of Paris mullin with a wealth of applique used tastefully about the neck and shoulders.

Apple Bread.

This is recommended as very wholesome and good. The apples must be well flavored. Pare, core, and quarter them. Stew in water until soft. While warm, beat this pulp into the flour, yeast and salt, using the same process as in making ordinary bread, the usual quantity of yeast and apples and flour are used in the proportion of one of the former to two of the latter. The apple pulp is used instead of water, and a very little sugar may be added, but the bread is better with this extra sweetening.

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1911 N. Edward St., Decatur, Illinois.

TWO JUDGES DISAGREE ENOUGH TO BUY SITE

Humphrey and Vail on Sentences and Conditions of County Jails in Illinois.

PRISONS GOOD IN THIS CIRCUIT.

This press telegram was sent out from Peoria Tuesday:

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 22.—Judge J. Ochs Humphrey of the United States court today condemned the jails of Illinois.

In no uncertain terms he scolded the county jails and stated that hereafter, in every case where it possibly can be avoided, he will refuse to give a man a long jail sentence, preferring the sorrowful, but, to his mind, a more humane alternative, of branding a man a convict.

A Different View.

Judge Vail, who was seen by a Herald reporter, last night, made pointed comments on the alleged assertions of Judge Humphrey.

"The county jails here are in fairly good condition. It is the duty of the grand jury to make inspections during each term of court, and the jury report the sanitary conditions of the prisons to be good. Of course repairs and changes are recommended at times, but as a general thing the jails are all right as shown by the reports of the jury. I do not agree with Judge Humphrey about branding all prisoners as penitentiary birds or convicts. A man thus disposed of is branded for life—he never recovers from the disgrace and if he serves out his term and tries to reform he is in constant fear of exposure. Wherever possible I give prisoners jail sentences. If a man is sent to the penitentiary after the lapse of years the fact is sure to crop out. Look at the case of Joe Danahy. He stabbed a man the other day, and immediately it became known that he had served a term at Joliet and no one stopped to consider the circumstances under which he was convicted. No, I differ with Judge Humphrey in his position as stated in the Peoria telegram. In the case of boys brought before me for disposition I do not send them to the state reform school unless they are very bad. If sent to the county jail, they recover from that disgrace. Such a sentence does not cling to a fellow like that of a penitentiary conviction. And no matter what the conditions of the county jails may be I rather think all offenders if they had their choice, would prefer against the convict brand. Of course there are statutory provisions which compel penitentiary sentences, and in those cases judges and juries have no discretion."

Hanna's Maiden Speech.

Senator Hanna has strongly intimated to the politicians that at the expiration of his term he will retire from public life. He is going to take a big part in the campaigning this year, however, and as his health is much improved, he will be on the stump for Ohio, Indiana, and possibly some of the other states of the central West.

The first real speech that Mr. Hanna ever made was made at Washington in March, 1897—just after McKinley's inauguration. It was at a dinner of the Gridiron Club, which is composed of forty of the representative newspaper correspondents located here. He made a decided hit. There is no solemn business at these dinners. They are given for a night of fun and good-fellowship, and hundreds of the prominent men of the world have been guests of the Gridiron Club during the past seven or eight years. Senator Hanna actually surprised himself that night. He also surprised Mr. McKinley, who was a frequent guest of the club before and after becoming president. From that time on Hanna knew he could speak.

He has developed into one of the glibest talkers in public life, and always talks well.—New York Commercial.

Funeral at Latham.

Rev. J. W. Eckman returned last night from Latham, where he officiated at the funeral of "Squire Whittier" who fell dead there on Monday. The deceased was 65 years old and has worked for the Hain Hardware company in Latham for twenty years. He was a man of integrity and sterling worth, and esteemed by all the citizens who knew him. The burial was at the Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

Out of Death's Jaw.

"When death seemed very near from a severe stomach and liver trouble, I suffered for four years," writes P. Mues, Durham, N. C. "Dr. King's New Life Pills saved my life and gave me perfect health." Best pills on earth, only sold at the drug stores of John E. King, McNeil & Herrick, N. L. Krone.

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It is folly to offer a wife man a penny for this thought.

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A Different View.

Judge Vail, who was seen by a Herald reporter, last night, made pointed comments on the alleged assertions of Judge Humphrey.

"The county jails here are in fairly good condition. It is the duty of the grand jury to make inspections during each term of court, and the jury report the sanitary conditions of the prisons to be good. Of course repairs and changes are recommended at times, but as a general thing the jails are all right as shown by the reports of the jury. I do not agree with Judge Humphrey about branding all prisoners as penitentiary birds or convicts. A man thus disposed of is branded for life—he never recovers from the disgrace and if he serves out his term and tries to reform he is in constant fear of exposure. Wherever possible I give prisoners jail sentences. If a man is sent to the penitentiary after the lapse of years the fact is sure to crop out. Look at the case of Joe Danahy. He stabbed a man the other day, and immediately it became known that he had served a term at Joliet and no one stopped to consider the circumstances under which he was convicted. No, I differ with Judge Humphrey in his position as stated in the Peoria telegram. In the case of boys brought before me for disposition I do not send them to the state reform school unless they are very bad. If sent to the county jail, they recover from that disgrace. Such a sentence does not cling to a fellow like that of a penitentiary conviction. And no matter what the conditions of the county jails may be I rather think all offenders if they had their choice, would prefer against the convict brand. Of course there are statutory provisions which compel penitentiary sentences, and in those cases judges and juries have no discretion."

Hanna's Maiden Speech.

Senator Hanna has strongly intimated to the politicians that at the expiration of his term he will retire from public life. He is going to take a big part in the campaigning this year, however, and as his health is much improved, he will be on the stump for Ohio, Indiana, and possibly some of the other states of the central West.

The first real speech that Mr. Hanna ever made was made at Washington in March, 1897—just after McKinley's inauguration. It was at a dinner of the Gridiron Club, which is composed of forty of the representative newspaper correspondents located here. He made a decided hit. There is no solemn business at these dinners. They are given for a night of fun and good-fellowship, and hundreds of the prominent men of the world have been guests of the Gridiron Club during the past seven or eight years. Senator Hanna actually surprised himself that night. He also surprised Mr. McKinley, who was a frequent guest of the club before and after becoming president. From that time on Hanna knew he could speak.

He has developed into one of the glibest talkers in public life, and always talks well.—New York Commercial.

Funeral at Latham.

Rev. J. W. Eckman returned last night from Latham, where he officiated at the funeral of "Squire Whittier" who fell dead there on Monday. The deceased was 65 years old and has worked for the Hain Hardware company in Latham for twenty years. He was a man of integrity and sterling worth, and esteemed by all the citizens who knew him. The burial was at the Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

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